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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance  
Company,

Plaintiff,

v.

United States of America,

Defendant.

Case No. 2:24-cv-00762-JCM-DJA

**Status Report and Joint Stipulation to  
Stay the Proceedings Pending  
Settlement Discussions (Third Request)**

Plaintiff State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company and Defendant the United States of America hereby stipulate and jointly move the Court to stay all deadlines in this matter and hold this case in abeyance for a period of 30 days, or until January 6, 2025. The undersigned attorney for the United States has the requisite authority to settle this case, and the parties have reached an agreement regarding a settlement amount. The parties are nearing finalization of the settlement documents, and they are in the process of finalizing certain provisions.

This is the third request to stay the proceedings. The parties submit this request neither for the purpose of delay nor to cause undue prejudice to any party nor for any other improper purpose. The parties submit this request to facilitate the parties' efforts to resolve the matter in a "just, speedy, and inexpensive" manner consistent with Fed. R. Civ. P. 1.

1 The parties reserve the ability to seek additional time to finalize resolution, if  
2 necessary, but anticipate they will be able to file dismissal paperwork prior to the identified  
3 deadline.

4 Respectfully submitted this 10th day of December 2024.

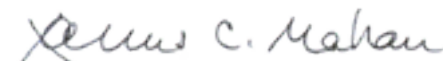
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17 **IT IS SO ORDERED:**

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20 **United States District Judge**

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28 **DATED:** December 13, 2024